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cooper, Robert G., 68, of Oak Park Dr., died Sunday September 10 at Our Lady of Fatima Hospital. He was the husband of Ruth L. (Lawrence) Cooper.



Born in Providence he was a son of the late George and Adelaide (Glennon) Cooper. Mr. Cooper was raised in the Riverside area and had lived in Bartanian to North

rington before moving to North Providence 10 years ago. He was a graduate of East Providence High School, and received his BS degree in 1964 from Bryant College. George was the Director of Taxes for Nortek in Providence for the past 21 years. He was a former member of the Rhode Island Country Club and served on the board of directors for the RI Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing. He served with the US Navy from 1956-1960.

Besides his wife, he leaves a daughter Colleen Petrecca of North Providence, and two sons, Robert Cooper, Jr. of Houston, TX-and Brenton Cooper of Felton, CA, and sister Elizabeth Lebel of Uxbridge, MA. He was the devoted grandfather of Brittney, Michaela, Nathan, Robby, T.J., Zachary and Christian.

His funeral will be held Saturday at 10 a.m. from the ROBBINS FUNERAL HOME, 2251 Mineral Spring Avenue, with a Mass of Christian Burial at 11 a.m. in St. Augustine Church, Mt. Pleasant Avenue, Providence. Military honors will follow. Visiting hours Friday 4-8 p.m. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the RI Community Food Bank, 200 Niantic Avenue, Providence, RI 02907